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In Re the Application of:

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For: LOW PROFILE OPTICAL HEAD

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

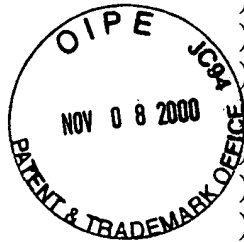
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PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM
REPRESENTATION (37 CFR 10.40(c))



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ADDRESSED TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF
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SHERIDAN ROSS P.C.

BY: *Maureen C. Longford*

I, an attorney signing below, respectfully request permission to withdraw from all further responsibility in this case, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.36.

The mailing address of the record assignee of the entire interest is: David E. Steuber, Skjerven, Morrill, MacPherson, Franklin and Friel LLP, Suite 700, 25 Metro Drive, San Jose, CA 95110. In accordance with 37 CFR 10.40(a), a copy of this request is being sent to the record assignee. A copy of the letter to the record assignee is attached. Please change the correspondence address to the above address for David E. Steuber, Skjerven, Morrill, MacPherson, Franklin and Friel LLP, Suite 700, 25 Metro Drive, San Jose, CA 95110.

The basis for the request for withdrawal is 37 CFR 10.40(c) §§(5). That is, it is the undersigned's understanding that the assignee knowingly and freely assents to this withdrawal.

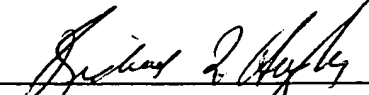
The undersigned understand there is no outstanding action in this application

This response is enclosed in triplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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